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Specially Written for Champion Chronicle

By DOUGLAS GREEN

Canadian Press Staff Writer

OTTAWA, Oct. 29—(CP)—Observers in Ottawa are discussing the possibility that Premier Mitchell Hepburn's sudden resignation as Premier of Ontario may eventually result in his return to the House of Commons—perhaps as an independent member sitting with the opposition. (He represented Elgin West in the Dominion House from 1926 to 1934—a "stormy petrel" Liberal.)

During his career as provincial premier, Mr. Hepburn has been outspoken in his criticism of Prime Minister Mackenzie King, and it is considered in Ottawa that a seat in the federal House would enable him even more vigorously to continue this role.

Students of the federal political situation feel—as do many of Mr. Hepburn's personal friends—that he is unlikely to remain long absent from public life, unless his resignation were prompted by reasons of health.

Mindful of Mr. Hepburn's success in the provincial field, and his record while a member of the House of Commons, federal Liberals are by no means convinced he has left politics for good, despite his declaration that he intends henceforth to devote himself to the management of his Elgin county farm.

It has been suggested here that the former premier might be "mentioned" as a candidate for some post of leadership in the Conservative party, and the source suggesting this possibility pointed to his friendship for Lt.-Col. George Drew, Ontario Conservative leader, and to the efforts Mr. Hepburn put forward on behalf of Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, the present Conservative leader, in Mr. Meighen's unsuccessful attempt to win the by-election in York South last winter. Mr. Hepburn's views upon the prosecution of the war are the same as those of the Conservative party, one senior Conservative has pointed out.

However, it is not considered likely that Mr. Hepburn would "carry a Conservative convention," and he himself has said

he will not attend the party convention to be held in Winnipeg in December. At this meeting, a party leader will be elected and a platform drafted.

Selective Priorities—Selective Service officers say professional hockey players—many of whom learned the game on rural ponds and school rinks—will no longer be able to leave jobs essential to the war effort for the crowds, bright lights and thrills of Major League competition. In technical language, professional sport has a low labor priority, and job permits will not be given players whose between-season occupations are classified in higher ratings.

Selective Service has taken a further step to overcome the Dominion's manpower shortage. Workers in primary steel plants, coal miners and staffs of certain base metal mines will not be given permits in future to transfer to or seek work in other industries.

To conserve rubber, gasoline and manpower, the Munitions Department has ordered that on and after Nov. 15 bus passengers may not be carried more than 50 miles in one continuous trip. They may still take a 50-mile round trip, however, and those localities which have no other "reasonably direct" form of public transportation will not be affected by the order. The department will, at its discretion, make exceptions to the general order where circumstances justify it.

Beer Restrictions—Further restrictions in the brewing of beer have been announced. The Prices Board, in an order which foreshadows further restrictions, has ruled that after Nov. 1, no brewer will be permitted to use more malt for producing beer in any quarter than the amount used the corresponding quarter of the preceding year.

The order constitutes but the thin edge of the wedge in a program of restriction which will follow a more exhaustive study of the brewing industry's position.

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J. D. Hagerman who is chairman of the Champion-Carmangay Victory Loan Unit and reports progress. Canvassers will really get underway during the coming week and it is expected Champion as usual will more than exceed their quota.

DR. BARNARDO APPEAL

Dr. Barnardo's Homes are known all over the British Empire for the magnificent work done amongst the orphan children of England. Like other such institutions they have suffered considerably due to the war but have carried on with unabated zeal their task. Sixty-two branch homes have had to be opened and over 1000 children admitted as a direct result of the war.

Barnardo boys and girls have been represented in practically every naval and military engagement. Many have been killed or wounded and many citations and awards for bravery have been made to Barnardo boys.

At this time the home is asking its friends and well-wishers to assist in providing a Christmas for these boys and girls who have lost all their cherished childish possessions.

Any donation large or small will be most kindly appreciated and may be made locally to F. J. Clapp, Box 26, Champion, who will furnish any further information.

Local Notes

Mr. and Mrs. T. Tredaway and daughter, of Crossfield, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cowgill and visited old friends in Champion. We welcome Mr. Tredaway as a subscriber to the Chronicle.

Chas. Nelson, had a finger amputated as a result of an accident at the dam last week.

Mrs. L. Fath and Madeline were week-end visitors in Calgary. They visited with Miss Ruth Fath, of Drumheller.

G. Goodman, of Calgary was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lebeck, last week.

Mrs. Jacobson of Carmangay was operated on in Carmangay hospital last week. She is reported progressing favorably.

Bill Gatenby, Tommy Doyle, Sam Schaurman and Ellsworth Stewart were Calgary visitors last week.

Miss Annabel Lyon returned home to Champion, Monday after spending some time at Olds.

Harry Higgins spent the week-end in Lethbridge.

Mrs. Chas. Taylor returned to Champion, Monday after spending some time visiting in Vancouver and Port Alberni, B. C.

Philip Fath spent the week-end at his home here. Phil has just completed training and is leaving for the east.

W. F. Bozarth has just received word that his son Bill has arrived safely overseas with the forces. Bill was married in Moncton, N. B. shortly before going overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy, of Travers, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Siegel.

Henry and Dan Graff, of Leader, Sask., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Deal.

CHURCH NOTES
Canon Winter will hold Holy Communion service for All Saints' Day at 11 a. m. in the Community hall, Sunday, 1st November.

NEW STATION ON AIR
CJOC Lethbridge will be heard at a new spot on the radio dial commencing Saturday, October 31st. The installation of a new powerful thousand watt transmitter will make possible the entire coverage of Southern Alberta. The frequency of the new station is to be 1060 Kc.

It Isn't Fun— It's Sabotage

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 23—Apropos of Halloween, Superintendent of Schools, James M. Spinning has addressed this open letter to the city's 38,383 students:

"Letting the air out of tires isn't fun anymore. It's sabotage.

"Soaping windshields isn't fun this year. Your government needs soaps and greases for the war.

"Carting away property isn't fun this year. You may be taking something intended for scrap, or something that can't be replaced because of war shortages.

"Even ringing doorbells has lost its appeal because it may mean disturbing the sleep of a tired war worker who needs his rest."

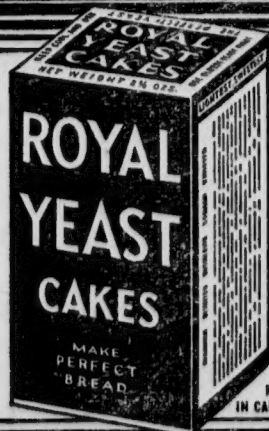
"I know," he concluded, "America can count on you."

Tobacco Club Contributions

Further contributions to the Chronicle Tobacco Fund were received this week. They are as follows:

Mr and Mrs. L. V. Stout	\$1 00
Irl Ditto	50
A. Diemert	50
Bill and Dick Jopling	50
Velia Taylor	25
Kieth Taylor	25
J. A. Mark	50
Isabel Clarke	25
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Thursday, October 29, 1942

Editorials

OUR VICTORY BOND DRIVE

Champion is lagging behind a little in its Victory Bond drive. Partly responsible this year is the fact that farmers have been late completing harvest and have not had the time to either canvass or to buy bonds. A fact which must also be taken into consideration is that there will not be the large purchase of bonds by the Municipality or the School Board. This means that the individual subscriber must dig as deeply as possible to make up this difference. If we all do our share there can be no doubt about the final result of our unit.

HALLOWE'EN

Parents should try and impress upon the children this year the necessity of foregoing their usual Halloween pranks. Damage to property and the moving of equipment and things that are not tied down amounts to plain sabotage in this serious war year. There is neither the money or the time to repair any Halloween damage at this time.

ANOTHER PEACE PLAN

Planning for the next peace is going on in

more minds and hearts than get mention in the headlines. Take John Q. Smith of this city, for instance. Mr. Smith has a three-point program which he is prepared to put into effect immediately after hostilities cease. He intends (1) to go for a nice long Sunday in his automobile without feeling as guilty as Benedict Arnold; (2) to vanish from his job for two solid weeks in the general direction of a trout stream that he knows about, and (3) to have three spoonfuls of sugar on his oatmeal and four in his iced coffee once more, heaven willing—New York Times.

CLASSIFIED ADLETS

FOR SALE—Clare Bros. Cookstove. Ivory Tile Back. In good condition. Apply Mrs. Stephen Cowgill.

FOR SALE—1928 Pontiac Sedan, 5 good tires, \$200 cash. See Mitchell, Drugist, Vulcan.

FOR RENT—One half section, 13 miles east of Vulcan, known as the W. H. McLean farm. Requirements—tenant must be a successful farmer with necessary equipment and a small family. Apply personally to Mrs. Sara E. C. McLean or telephone 1005 or 36, Vulcan.

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This Fall
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"Now WE hold a Mortgage on Canada Ma!"

"Sure we're working harder than ever—but that never hurt anybody. We're working longer hours and putting our money away in Victory Bonds. Now we'll be paid interest instead of paying it.

"When peace comes we'll have money saved to buy new equipment for our farm—might even put up a new barn—maybe take a holiday!

"Meanwhile, we can't think of any safer or better place to invest our money than in bonds backed by our country. And we can't think of any better purpose than helping our fighting boys get the jump on the enemy. When we read about our lads bombing Germany, we can think that maybe we raised one of those bombs on our own farm.

"So that's our plan from now until peace comes. We will work to save and lend. We'll have it to spend later. And we can look forward to getting that new tractor and that fine new automobile we're saving for now."

"We'll be laying up for ourselves the best of all investments—VICTORY BONDS—backed by all the resources of the Dominion of Canada: they yield a fair rate of interest; we can borrow against them; and they are readily saleable when we need cash!

NOTHING MATTERS NOW BUT VICTORY...

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CANADA NEEDS \$750,000,000 NOW!

The Chronicle Tobacco Fund

This fund is for the purpose of sending cigarettes regularly to the boys of the district serving overseas in Canada's forces.

It is planned to send 300 cigarettes each month to each boy.

Money will be collected by voluntary donations made direct to the Chronicle which will be acknowledged in the paper, and through receptacles to be placed in all places of business.

Every cent of money collected will go directly for purchase of cigarettes as the Chronicle is assuming all expenses in connection with the fund.

The local I.O.D.E. chapter has kindly consented to administer the fund, that is, they will handle all monies, book-keeping and ordering.

Donations, distribution and expenditures will be published regularly in the columns of this paper.

No donation is too small to help in this work. Won't you plan to help see that our boys get enough smokes?

Bring or send a donation in NOW to

The Chronicle

HOW TO BUY

Give your order to the Victory Loan salesman who calls on you. Or place it in the hands of any branch of any bank, or give it to any trust company. Or send it to your local Victory Loan Headquarters. Or you can authorize your employer to start a regular payroll savings plan for you. Bonds may be bought in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000 and larger. Salesman, bank, trust company or your local Victory Loan Headquarters will be glad to give you every assistance in making out your order form.



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It is a symbol indicating that you have bought the new Victory Bonds.

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THIRD

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Dated and bearing interest from 1st November 1942, and offered in two maturities, the choice of which is optional with the subscriber, as follows:

**Fourteen-year
3% Bonds
Due 1st November 1956**

PAYABLE AT MATURITY AT 101%

Callable at 101% in or after 1953
Interest payable 1st May and November
Bearer denominations,
\$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000, \$25,000

Issue Price: 100%,
yielding 3.06% to maturity

**Three and one-half year
1 3/4% Bonds
Due 1st May 1946**

PAYABLE AT MATURITY AT 100%

Non-callable to maturity
Interest payable 1st May and November
Bearer denominations,
\$1,000, \$5,000, \$25,000, \$100,000

Issue Price: 100%,
yielding 1.75% to maturity

Principal and interest payable in lawful money of Canada; the principal at any agency of the Bank of Canada and the interest semi-annually, without charge, at any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank.

Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest, as detailed in the Official Prospectus, through any agency of the Bank of Canada.

Subscriptions for either or both maturities of the loan may be paid in full at the time of application at the issue price in each case without accrued interest. Bearer bonds with coupons will be available for prompt delivery. Subscriptions may also be made payable by instalments, plus accrued interest, as follows—

10% on application; 18% on 1st December 1942; 18% on 2nd January 1943;
18% on 1st February 1943; 18% on 1st March 1943;
18.67% on the 3% bonds OR 18.39% on the 1 3/4% bonds, on 1st April 1943.

The last payment on 1st April 1943, covers the final payment of principal, plus .67 of 1% in the case of the 3% bonds and .39 of 1% in the case of the 1 3/4% bonds representing accrued interest from 1st November 1942, to the due dates of the respective instalments.

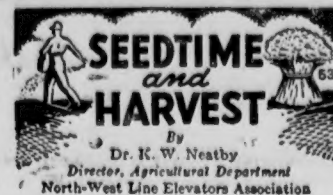
The Minister of Finance reserves the right to accept or to allot the whole or any part of the amount of this loan subscribed for either or both maturities if total subscriptions are in excess of \$750,000,000.

The proceeds of this loan will be used by the Government to finance expenditures for war purposes.

Subscriptions may be made through any Victory Loan Salesman, the National War Finance Committee or any representative thereof, any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, or any authorized Savings Bank, Trust or Loan Company, from whom may be obtained application forms and copies of the Official Prospectus containing complete details of the loan.

The lists will open on 19th October 1942, and will close on or about 7th November 1942, with or without notice, at the discretion of the Minister of Finance.

Department of Finance,
Ottawa, 16th October 1942.



Germination Tests and Dormancy

Two years ago, we installed two germinators with electrical temperature control and invited farmers to submit samples of their small grain seeds for testing. Nearly 5,000 farmers' samples were tested. Last year, 9,083 samples passed through our laboratory.

What may be expected of us this year, remains to be seen. We shall do our best to meet all demands; but take this opportunity to urge farmers to bring their seed samples into grain buyers for forwarding to us at the earliest possible date, and so enable us to spread the work over a long season. We are certain to be taxed (with samples!) to the limit in February and March.

Last fall we announced the installation of a refrigerating pre-chiller. The purpose of this was to enable us to begin testing early without fear of underestimating the germination percentage as a result of dormancy. Some samples, as we have explained before, require a sort of 'rest period,' germinating very poorly in the autumn, and gradually improving towards spring.

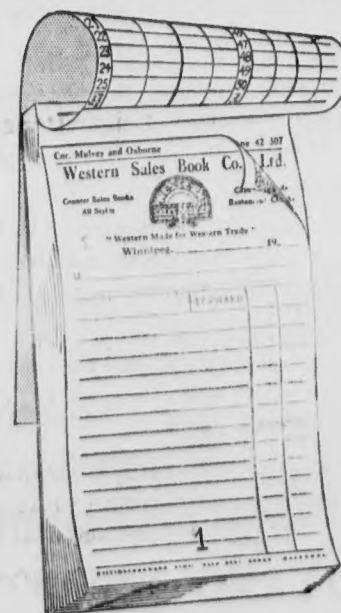
By keeping the moistened seeds at a temperature of 50°F. for three days (pre-chilling), the dormancy can be broken. To make sure that our machine was doing the job well, we tested 24 samples in November with and without pre-chilling. Then the following January, and again in May, we re-tested without pre-chilling. Results: November, pre-chilled, 80%; November, not pre-chilled, 45%; January, not pre-chilled, 60 per cent and May, not pre-chilled, 83 per cent. Thus, our pre-chiller enabled us to get accurate results in November which could otherwise only have been obtained the following spring.



MAVOR MOORE

Canada's radio producing ranks are manned by noticeably youthful veterans of whom Mavor Moore is an outstanding example. He was born in 1919, but, despite his youth, his unusual gifts have brought distinction to the Canadian theatre, in the field of play writing, acting and directing. He has been identified for the past three years with many of the leading CBC war service feature broadcasts, under the supervision of J. Frank Willis, first as actor and in more recent months as producer.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mr and Mrs. A. McDougall and Charlie McDougall attended the bull sale in Calgary last week. Alex reports a very good sale held. A Shorthorn bull of his realized \$330.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Leback are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Monday, October 26, at the Vulcan hospital.

From Osakis Review—Oct. 8th, 1942

We wish to reprint a poem they sent this writer and which was written by a boy wounded at Pearl Harbor—here goes! Hope you like it . . .

You say he can't stand the army,
The life is too rough for him;
Do you think he is any better
Than some other mother's Tom or Jim?

You raised him up like a girl!
He don't smoke or drink, is your brag
If all the boys were like him—
What would become of our flag?

You say his girl couldn't stand it,
To send him off with the rest.
Do you think she would be glad
When she feels a German's breath on her breast?

Think of the women of Belgium,
Of all the cruelties they have to bear,

Do you want the same thing to happen
To your innocent daughter so fair?

You can thank God that the Stars on
Old Glory
Are not blurred by that kind of stain.

Because there are 10 million rough-
necks
That had red blood in their veins.

They go to drill in bad weather,
And come in with a grin on their face

While your darling sits in a parlor,
And lets another man fight in his place.

Maybe we do smoke and gamble,
But we fight as our forefathers did,
So go warm the milk for his bottle
Thank God we don't need your kid!

—Author Anonymous

Central Service Station

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L. V. Stout, Prop., Champion

South McGregor Lake News and Locals

by Archie Ruggles

As old man winter is soon to play a return engagement he sent his advance agent along Friday morning who did a very good job of advertising by calling on every village, hamlet and farmstead, awakening all with a rattling of windows and banging of doors, he also scattered propaganda to be easily read in the cold grey dawn. By the way brother, have you put on the storm windows and got a good supply of coal in the basement, or are you like the writer, waiting for Indian summer to prepare for winter?

v-v-v

Billy and Floyd Boldue, enterprising farmers of the Travers district, attended the stock show in Calgary where they bought some pure bred cows and hogs, their herd of registered cattle is growing steadily.

v-v-v

Ducks Unlimited are moving southward daily, they would do well to remain north of the 49th parallel where shells are limited

v-v-v

We were accused, the other day of submitting lies for this column, but we only shrugged our shoulders and recalled the times we have tried to excuse our own sins by finding them in others.

v-v-v

While closing the gates at the Little Bow reservoir last Saturday Charlie Nelson had the misfortune to catch one of his fingers in the gear of the hydraulic mechanism which operates the gates. Wayne Ruggles administered first aid, and Charlie took a slightly larger chew of snuff than usual and drove 25 miles to Champion to have the wound dressed by more competent hands.

v-v-v

Ruggles and sons, while hunting ducks this week bagged a mallard which had been banded by the Biological Survey of Washington, D. C. in 1940 and had the number 717333 stamped on the band. We have shot a good many ducks in our life time, and Mrs. Ruggles has made at least 12 pairs of pillows from the feathers and never bagged one before. "But all things come to him who waits."

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